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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ebdrup et al.

Confirmation No.: 6226

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Examiner: Henley III, Raymond J.

For: Pharmaceutical Use of Boronic Acids and Esters Thereof

## AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir.

This amendment is submitted in response to the Advisory Action mailed February 18, 2005, having a response due by the original six-month statutory date of April 18, 2005.

Applicant hereby petitions for a three (3) month Extension of Time, extending the period of reply to the final Office Action mailed October 18, 2004, from January 18, 2005, to April 18, 2005, and hereby grants authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 14-1447, in the name of Novo Nordisk Inc., for such required fee \$1020.00.

Applicant thanks Examiner Henley for helpful suggestions regarding the present amendment. The amendment attached hereto refers to the claims pending following entry of the Amendment/Response dated September 27, 2004.

Pursuant to 37 C.P.R. §1.121, Applicant submits a complete listing of all of the claims ever presented for this pending application.

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Claims numbered 1, 4, 7 and 31 have been amended herein. Claim 5 has been cancelled herein.